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Letter of Appeal – CC Docket No. 02-6

Request For Waiver of Rules

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Program Funding Year 2005

Funding Request Numbers: 1335904 / 1336018

471 Application Number: 475738

Plainfield School Community Consolidated School District 202 is asking for a Waiver of the Rules to allow our original appeal with the SLD to be treated as filed within the sixty day window.

We strongly believe that Plainfield was denied funding based on a clear error by the SLD reviewer and ask that the FCC allow Plainfield to file its appeal.

The reasons for this Waiver are:

I apologize for missing this deadline for appeal. This summer was one of the busiest ever. This is a non-stop, understaffed yet fast paced environment and we all have many tasks beyond the scope of our responsibilities.

I missed the filing deadline for this appeal by only 1 day and this was a miscalculation of the monthly dates. I continued to work on this and also sought clarification and assistance from our service provider, since this service was approved in the past. That

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is why I waited to file this portion of the appeal as well. Since this deadline is near, I am not waiting for further vendor assistance; I am placing this appeal.

This past year we opened an additional high school, and two additional elementary buildings. This is in addition to the 24 buildings we already support.

District 202 is 64 square miles and I have only 6 technicians to manage the following:

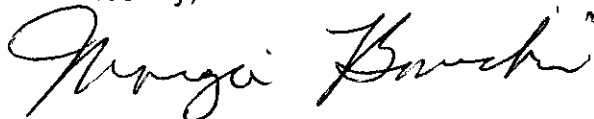
- 4000+ computers
- Peripherals: scanners, printers, etc
- All phone systems, (IP & Toshiba PBX)
- Audio/visual system in every school
- Library software management system
- 1st level network support/troubleshooting
- Oversee technical functions/installation on new construction sites
- Project manager for new building installations of all tech equipment
 - Plan and order PC's & peripherals
 - Oversee installation and imaging process
- Project manager for replacement PC's
 - Leasing for 1800+ pc's & laptops that had to be replaced and imaged
 - Disposal of old equipment across 11 buildings.

Most important to this issue we should have never gotten to this point since I answered every question/request that I was asked by the SLD reviewer and I provided written documentation. I also acknowledged that these FRN's are for monthly services that are on a multi-year contract. Prior to this contract's original start date, a 470 was completed during that year.

These questions and inquiries lasted over a period of a couple of weeks and I thought that I had given her everything that was needed. The last e-mail contact I have from the reviewer states that she was finished with her review. I thanked her and she replied that I was welcome. **She never indicated that there were any issues or that the information that I provided her was inaccurate or incomplete.**

Please consider this request for a waiver of the rules as we are all dedicated to supporting the educational process for the betterment of students.

Sincerely,



Margie Bonuchi
Technology Coordinator